



## **BEARFACTS 1989 – 1999**

### **Fayette , Texas [48149]**

Fayette is one of 254 counties in Texas. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 1999 population of 21,723 ranked 108th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 1999 Fayette had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$24,030. This PCPI ranked 52nd in the state and was 92 percent of the state average, \$26,250, and 86 percent of the national average, \$27,939. The 1999 PCPI reflected an increase of 6.6 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 state change was 4.2 percent and the national change was 3.9 percent. In 1989 the PCPI of Fayette was \$15,325 and ranked 53rd in the state. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 1999 Fayette had a total personal income (TPI) of \$522,003\*. This TPI ranked 97th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1989 the TPI of Fayette was \$310,752\* and ranked 90th in the state. The 1999 TPI reflected an increase of 6.9 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 state change was 6.3 percent and the national change was 5.1 percent. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.0 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Fayette. In 1999 net earnings accounted for 55.2 percent of TPI (compared with 50.4 in 1989); dividends, interest, and rent were 25.3 percent (compared with 32.9 in 1989); and personal current transfer receipts were 19.5 percent (compared with 16.7 in 1989). From 1998 to 1999 net earnings increased 12.7 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 0.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 2.2 percent. From 1989 to 1999 net earnings increased on average 6.3 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.9 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Fayette increased from \$259,950\* in 1998 to \$290,757\* in 1999, an increase of 11.9 percent. The 1998-1999 state change was 7.9 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1989 estimate of \$170,581\* to the 1999 estimate was 5.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.5 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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